

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

United States
Department of
Agriculture

Agricultural
Marketing
Service

DATE: March 29, 2001

PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS; PURCHASES NEARING
END

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 117,000 pounds of chicken fajita strips at a cost of approximately \$205,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 004	No. of Bids Accepted
chicken fajita strips	117,000	\$1.7525-\$1.7538	1 of 1

It was also announced that purchases of chicken fajita strips are nearing end.

Total purchases of chicken fajita strips since the program was announced January 22, 2001, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
chicken fajita strips	1,677,000	\$2,872,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-242 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
005	chicken fajita strips	April 9	April 13	May 16-31

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, PO Box 96456, Washington, D.C. 20090-6456. An electronic version of this food purchase report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for chicken fajita strips made today under Announcement PY-242, Invitation 004, to be delivered from May 1 to May 15, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY242
COMM GROUP : CHICKEN, FROZEN
INVITATION : 004

COMMODITY TYPE : CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS
PACK SIZE : 30 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: GOLD KIST POULTRY CO.
PLANT ADDRESS : SUMTER SC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
006	KALAMAZOO MI	39,000	\$ 1.7538
007	LITTLE ROCK AR	78,000	\$ 1.7525

TOTAL AWARDED: 117,000

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